

## PREPARE for HARVEST

Farmers needing repairs for their Binders & Mowers should look them over now and see what they need and order before Harvest. As I am not acquainted so well with the wants of Farmers around Lexington, such things could be possible that I would not have them on hand if you wait for repairs until the day you want to begin cutting. If Canvases are needed, bring in the old ones, so no mistake is made in ordering them.

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### First Blood for Lexington.

Playing all the time with the precision of a Gillette safety razor, never faltering and always on the job, the Elk band of this city defeated the Richmond species of horned game Thursday afternoon at the former's ball pavilion in the first contest of the annual series. The local animals struck their stride at last and with Hurley heaving and supported by as strong an aggregation of war horses, old and new, as ever faced a Richmond machine, the representatives of this burg copped the colors in a very neatly played game by the score of 3 to 0.

The locals in preparing for this melee did not go off limits but resurrected some of the old diamond stars, and said planets easily persuaded the onlookers that they were not as old as they seemed. All of the scoring was pulled off in the third inning. Rosie King made a short infield clout, but an overthrow to first enabled him to circle the sacks. Then Patterson pummeled the pebble to short and beat out the throw. Cy Campbell, next up, was struck on the think-box by the hurled horsehide, and a sacrifice placed these men on third and second respectively. Hurley, whom you are supposed to know, virtually won his own conflict by cleaning the bases with a beautiful drive over the right fielder's turret.

Hurley heaved a brilliant game and was given error less support. He struck out 8 men and allowed 8 hits, which were widely scattered. Miller, the Richmond catapult, allowed but four hits and whiffed five. He also issued the only complimentary of the game. Rosie King's holding was the feature of the go. Scott umpired fairly.

The score by innings: Total  
Richmond—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Lexington—0 0 3 0 0 0 0 3  
Batteries: Elks—Hurley, Ardinger; Richmond—Miller, Owen.

### An Approaching Marriage.

When Miss Lillian Fulkerson resigned her position as a teacher of science at Lexington college her friends began to wonder, and Thursday their suspicions were confirmed when it transpired that she would be quietly married on the morning of June 10th at the home of her father to Felix Young. The wedding will be the happy culmination of a romance of several years' standing.

Miss Fulkerson is one of the most attractive and admirable young ladies of Lexington. She is a daughter of Dr. J. J. Fulkerson and a member of one of the county's best families. She was educated at Lexington college of this city and for the past four years has been a member of the faculty of that institution. She is thoroughly equipped, also, with domestic accomplishments and is in every way ideally fitted to be the wife of the man of her choice.

Mr. Young is deservedly one of the most popular young men of Lexington. He is steady and industrious and possessed of the best of habits. Since he completed his education in the Lexington high school he has been in the employ of Ben Eaton.

After the ceremony the couple will take a short trip and will shortly afterwards be at home to their friends at the groom's home at 305 South Thirteenth street.

### Bond Election.

The proposition to issue \$12,000 in bonds for the purpose of making needed addition to the Arnold school carried in a special election Thursday by a vote of 125 to 20. Very little interest was manifested and there was practically no contest. The addition is needed and nothing is too good for the children.

Miss Bess Hagood returned to her home in Higginsville Friday after a visit with relatives here.

E. M. Taubman went to Kansas City Friday morning on business.

E. W. White spent yesterday in Kansas City.

### CORDER ITEMS.

Mrs. S. M. Reynolds spent Thursday in Kansas City.

D. G. Jackson was in Higginsville Thursday.

C. L. Wilson was in Blue Springs Friday on business.

Will Riley of Slater visited his parents last week.

Mrs. Fletcher Groves spent Thursday in Marshall with relatives.

Hugh Crowder returned Friday from Oklahoma where he has been visiting relatives.

Master Lawrence Armbruster is visiting in Odessa with relatives this week.

Walter Sydnor shipped cattle to St. Louis week.

Born, to the wife of W. F. Lieser Monday, May 24, a boy. Mother and son are doing nicely.

Mrs. George Adams and Mrs. Tina Kath of Lowell, Wis., visited Mrs. Jacob Haas.

Miss Lucile Reynolds returned Tuesday from Kansas City.

Harry Rodekhor returned from visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dankenbring, of Sweet Springs the latter part of last week.

Dave Garnett has installed nice tables and chairs in his bakery, so he can serve cream to his customers.

S. M. Reynolds has begun work on the reconstruction of the old school house which will be converted into a public hall.

The ladies of the Methodist church gave an ice cream and strawberry supper Thursday night at the Miners hall. The patronage was liberal and it proved a success.

Oscar Morehead and wife of Oklahoma are visiting her mother, Mrs. Emily Lewis.

Misses Ada and Mabel Corrin, John Morgan and Lesley Jones drove to Higginsville Saturday night to witness the play.

The first annual Decoration Day Memorial service will be held at Calvary cemetery Saturday afternoon, May 29. A program will be prepared with music and possibly a fraternal parade.

A very interesting base ball game was played last Thursday at Kierstead park. While the game was not as good as it could have been there were plenty of features to make it interesting. The south side won by a score of 20 to 10.

The Corder band held a business meeting last week to select a director, as Prof. Holenwald resigned. Prof. Kirchoff of Concordia was selected. He is a musician of rare ability and a wide reputation and will no doubt develop our band into one of the best in this part of the county. He will come once a week to instruct them.

Miss Milled Saunders is spending several days in town this week with Miss Eunice Willis.

Mrs. F. S. Zentmeyer of Higginsville spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Mrs. Ben Kidd, who has been sick for the past three months returned to her home in Prairie DuChien, Wisconsin, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Clark, who has been here with her. Ben Kidd accompanied them as far as Kansas City. We are glad to know they arrived safely.

The Red Men lodge gave an ice cream supper Tuesday night at the Miners hall. Notwithstanding the weather there was a good attendance.

The Elston Bros. show which came here to show Monday did not show on account of the heavy rains Monday night.

Rev. M. Larkin of north of town filled the pulpit Sunday at the Methodist church south. He preached a very able sermon, one that was enjoyed by all.

Miss Jeanie Bell of Corder, who has been attending the State Normal at Warrensburg for the past three years, has been elected to teach the Garr school near Lexington.

### Notice to Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders in the Lexington Flouring mills will be held in the lower court room of the courthouse in the city of Lexington, Lafayette county, Missouri, on Saturday June 5, 1909, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing seven directors of such company and transacting such other business as maybe lawfully considered.

Given under our hands this May 24, 1909.

James F. Catron, President.  
S-24:12 Wm. H. Chiles, Secretary.

### Stockholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lexington Water company, for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company in Lexington, Mo., on the 8th day of June, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Gustav Haerle, President.  
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